

# EASTWOOD MEN'S CLUB

GOLF SHOP 281-6173 OCTOBER 2007

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#### OCTOBER EVENT: EASTWOOD SHAMBLE 2 OF 4 NET

The October Event will be a 4-person Shamble team game, using 2 of the 4 net scores to determine your team score.

Like in a scramble, all four members of the team tee off, and the best of the four tee shots is selected. All players move their balls within one club length of the chosen tee shot, no closer the hole and not improving the condition of the lie. From this point, the hole is played out at stroke play, with all members of the team playing their own ball into the hole.

The team score for this event will be the best 2 of 4 net scores. Each player must contribute a minimum of **4 tee shots in 18 holes**. We will play the blue tees all the way around. Please track this tee shot usage on your scorecard.

The Eastwood Shamble will be held on Sunday October 7<sup>th</sup>, with a 9:00 a.m. shotgun. Please check in upstairs for your tee assignment, announcements, and the paramutual. Also check in with the pro shop downstairs regarding your playing privilege.

### LETTER FROM THE PRESIDENT

Greetings to all. We're about to have our final Sunday event of the year, but that's not to mean that we quit playing golf for 2007. As for me and my "golfing buddies" we stay with it until the GOLF COURSE CLOSED sign goes up.

It's been an honor to be your president this year. We've survived another year (our final) with a nine hole layout and look forward to the new challenges across the road next year.

Congratulations to all who competed in our events this year. Matches were won and lost and all in all a whole lot of golf was played and enjoyed by we members of the Eastwood Mens Club.

We're going to try something new to close out the Men's Club Year. Immediately following the October 7 event we'll have our annual meeting. According to our By-Laws we're to have an annual meeting in October at which time we elect our incoming Board of Directors members for the coming year. If you are interested in serving on the Board please contact Rick Lien, who is chairing the nominating committee. At this annual meeting we'll also elect our officers for 2008. Please make a point of hanging around for a while after you play. I'll start the meeting shortly after everyone has completed their round.

A special thanks to all of the Board members and officers who volunteered their time to help make the Mens Club successful another year. Please make a point of sharing with them your gratitude for all they have done to help you enjoy the great game of golf. In addition, also remember to thank Jeff Minske and his staff and Jeff Gorman and his team for all they do to support the Mens club.

See you October 7. ■

Brian

# Dear Men's Club Members:

Welcome to the fall golf season – hopefully an extended season for us all. Congratulations to everyone who competed in the Rochester All-City Championship, you make Eastwood proud. I would also like to congratulate the 2007 Eastwood Shootout Champions, Carl VonWald and John Mozina. A special thanks to Mark Dripps and Dave Nelson for their assistance during this event.



I am as disappointed as all of you are that we could not challenge the back nine holes at Eastwood this fall. Mr. Taylor, Mr. Minske, and myself toured that nine in early September for the sole purpose of making the correct decision on an opening date. After an extensive 2-hour tour, the vote was a unanimous 3-0 to postpone the opening of the new nine until next spring. We all agreed that the course would've been open today if it had not been damaged by 15+ inches of rain in late August. A nice extended fall will give the course a great growing season making it prime for 2008.

I would like to personally thank all of you for your support and patience during the last two seasons. It has been very difficult for all of us to wait, but I am confident that when we open the full 18 holes next spring you will all be very proud to call Eastwood "home." Last but not least I must thank my two assistant professionals for all of their hard work towards making your golfing experience at Eastwood an enjoyable one. Have a wonderful fall!

Your Golf Professional,

#### Jeff Gorman

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Couples Final:

Saturday,
October 20th
2-Person Scramble





#### **ASSISTANT'S CORNER**

#### Greetings Men's Club!

As I sit here and type this, the weather is a mere 55 degrees out and drizzling. Wow, has the season flown by as October is almost here. Why does the golf season always seem to last a week, while the winter mocks an endless eternity? I guess the cliché, "time flies when you're having fun" isn't a

stretch from the truth. Anyhow, on a positive note, fall golf is here and what a wonderful time of the year to play--so hopefully you all haven't packed your tools away quite yet. REMINDER: The last day available to post scores for handicaps is October 15th.

Congratulations to John Mozina and Carl Von Wald for winning the Men's Club Shootout this year. Also congratulations to this year's four-ball winners:

Championship Flight Travis Patten/Elton Mosman
Division I Ali Sameni/Aria Sameni
Division II Gary Heitkamp/Ken Caron
Division III Bill Corbett/Don Okrzynski
Division IV Don Hameister/Shorty Kinsley

Finally, good luck to Frank Silker and Ali Sameni as they have advanced to the 64-Man Championship match. Have a great match!

The season is definitely winding down, but don't forget about the last Men's Club event (shamble) scheduled for Sunday, October 7th. Also, be sure to be here for the Couples "Bon-fire" on October 20th. This is a great time where you bundle up, play some golf, eat chili and smores, drink some beer, and have a great time!

I know it is late in the season and some of you might not play as much golf, but right now is the best time of the year to but that golf equipment you have wanted. We have slashed prices 40-60% off about everything in the shop, some of it being sold at wholesale. We have a few more complete sets of irons, wedges, putters, bags, and even some brand new 460 cc drivers that we all love to hit but don't enjoy the \$500 cost associated with them. Well, why not pick one up now at roughly half the price? Hurry in as we will not be undersold!

Despite some of the speed bumps we have had to sidestep with the new-9 and the disappointment of only having 9 available this year, the year has been a great one and will be even better next year when we'll have an 18-hole playground to call ours. Ryan and I would like to thank you making our season an enjoyable one and we both look forward to seeing you next year and hopefully out here for some fall golf.

Keep it away from the leaves,

#### Landon Dybing

Immediately following the October 7 event we will have our annual Board of Directors meeting. The meeting will start shortly after everyone has completed their round and *all are welcome!* 



# Dear Hozle Schaank,

#### Winter's Coming

It's October and the 2007 golf season is coming to an end. Where did it go? Did you accomplish every thing that you wanted? Maybe you didn't have any expectations and you just lived the season as it came. Well, in any event it is just about over. Or, is it?. Fall golf is about as good as it gets. The crowd is gone and conditions are super and we tend not to waste this time, knowing the remaining days are fleeting.

Enough of this talk, let's reflect on what has happened. It was a season of great times, good friends, and events that you will file away for those days and times in the middle of the "cold season". Remember that great shot you hit on number 2?. Isn't it interesting that you will remember it with such clarity and the others didn't even recall the shot. That is the nature of golf; a very personal experience that few if any others will appreciate. Golf is a game that is played largely between the ears

Now we start the count-down of the remaining days of this golf season. As the temps drop we know that the end is in sight. Finally, the inevitable snow comes and it is over. We put the clubs away. But wait, there may be a possible trip south, so all is not lost. In many ways we are like children who are constantly counting the days till x-mas. I am sure that if you asked our our significant others, they would agree that we are infected with the sickness they call "golf"; and there doesn't seem to be a cure for it. We don't seem to tire of playing, in fact the more we play, the more we seem to want to play.

So what is in store for next season? Continued insanity, one would suspect. I know for a fact that near perfection is at hand. In my "minds eye", i can see and feel the swing. I know that until proven otherwise, this perfection has been achieved.

So say "good bye" to 2007 and plan and prepare for what lies ahead in 2008. This game we call golf is the carrot that drives into the future and always promises better times. ■

#### RW Hozle Schaank





There will be another 50/50 raffle following the event on Sunday.

# EASTWOOD MEN'S CLUB EVENT #5 BEST 3 OF 4 – STABLEFORD SCORING

September 2nd, 2007

Place 1st	Name Ken Gerzsenyi Rick Lien Rashid Kadir Scott Przybelski	Score 168	\$\$\$\$\$ \$30/each	
2nd	Ron Haugen Frank Silker Ali Sameni Bob Johnson	158	\$25/each	
3rd	Jeff Ehrhart Rick Cardiff Norm Perlenfein Dan Hildestad	142	\$20/each	
4th	Mark Dripps Larry Mortensen Al Gorski Wally Schlink	141	\$15/each	

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## FIELD EVENTS (\$10.00 EACH)

Hole #1	Longest Putt	Jeff Ehrhart
Hole #3	Longest Putt	Dick Valde
Hole #5	Longest Putt	Lary Klein
Hole #7	Longest Putt	Steve Hartog